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In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

I, Norman Letvin, do hereby declare and state as follows.

1. I understand that the inventive entity set forth in U.S. Application No. 09/775,805 as originally filed is in error. I further understand that that I am being added as an inventor on U.S. Application No. 09/775,805.

2. The error in inventorship of U.S. Application No. 09/775,805 occurred without deceptive intention on my part.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of our my knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false

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Further, declarant sayeth not.

Signed this 31st day of October, 2002.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Norman Letvin', written over a horizontal line.

Norman Letvin